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April 22nd, 1919

O. Frank Beer, Esq.,

Canadian Trade Commission,

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr. Beer:

The question of providing a career for our university graduates in a Canadian Consular Service or foreign trade has often been before the Universities. We believe that if the government would make a progressive policy that we could provide a large number of thoroughly competent men to undertake work of these types. It is a question that is so important that I am sure the Conference of Canadian Universities which meets annually in Ottawa would like to have the proceedings of such openings discussed before they at its next session, but I am authorized by the President of the Conference to say that we should be very glad to have representatives of the Trade Commission attend one of our sessions on Thursday, May 22nd, in order that the Universities may understand better any policies that you may have in mind and that we may lay before the representatives of the Canadian Trade Commission what we think the requirements are from the university point of view.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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THE CANADIAN TRADE COMMISSION

OTTAWA

April 25th., 1919.

Sir Robert Falconer,
President, University of Toronto,
Toronto, Ont.

Dear Sir Robert:-

Your favour of April 27th. is to hand and we shall be pleased to have a representative of the Canadian Trade Commission attend one of your sessions on Friday, May 22nd. to discuss the matter under consideration.

It is a source of great satisfaction to us that this matter is in your hands.

Yours faithfully,

G. Burman Bury

GFB/AK. Assistant Commissioner.

May 13th, 1919.

Frank Beer, Esq.,

Canadian Trade Commission,

Ottawa.

Dear Mr. Beer:

We have put you down for an address before the Conference of Canadian Universities which meets on Friday, May 23rd. You have been given a place in the morning session. Probably eleven o'clock would be suitable if that hour is convenient for you.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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THE CANADIAN TRADE COMMISSION

OTTAWA

14th May, 1919.

In reply refer to file
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Dear Sir Robert:-

I note that you will expect a brief address on the 23rd May at about 11 o'clock on thesubject of "Training Men for Foreign Trade".

It will be arranged that the Canadian Trade Commission will be represented upon that occasion.

I assume you do not wish the address to occupy more than 10 minutes.

Will you kindly notify us upon your arrival in Ottawa, where the meeting is to be held?

Yours faithfully,

THE CANADIAN TRADE COMMISSION,

per

Assistant Commissioner.

Sir Robt. Falconer, K.C.M.G., M.A., L.L.D., D.Litt.,
President,
The University of Toronto,
TORONTO.

GFB/APW.

June 11th, 1919

E. P. Lear, Esq.,

Canadian Trade Commissioner,

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr. Lear:

I am returning you Professor Laureys' letter. I know about the "Ecole des Hautes Etudes Commerciales", and probably Professor Laureys would fit into Laval somewhat better than he would into other Universities.

I think I mentioned to you that I asked the Board of Trade of Toronto to give us a Chair of Economy. They have the matter now under consideration, and I do not know what they will say.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.